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SUBJECT: EXTRADITION - ROBERT L. VESCO

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1. DR. MANSI, DIRECTOR, PASSPORT OFFICE, QUESTURA OF ROME ADVISED VESCO ISSUED ITALIAN PASSPORT NO. 9676788 (NOT 9678788 AS STATED BY DEPT) ON MAY 22, 1973 BY QUESTURA OF ROME. PASSPORT WAS ISSUED ON BASIS OF CERTIFICATE OF ITALIAN CITIZENSHIP (NO. 86135) ISSUED BY THE OFFICE OF VITAL STATISTICS OF THE COMMUNE OF ROME ON MAY 18, 1973.

2. RAGIONIER CAMARLINGHI WHO IS IN CHARGE OF THE CITIZENSHIP UNIT OF THE COMMUNE OF ROME, OFFICE OF VITAL STATISTICS, ADVISED THAT VESCO ACQUIRED ITALIAN NATIONALITY UNDER ARTICLE 1(-) OF THE ITALIAN NATIONALITY LAW OF JUNE 13, 1912, N. 555 THROUGH BIRTH ABROAD OF A FATHER, GERDANO (DONALD) VESCO, WHO WAS BORN IN FRANKLIN, OHIO ON DECEMBER 16, 1910 OF AN ITALIAN FATHER AND THEREFORE ACQUIRED BOTH ITALIAN AND AMERICAN NATIONALITIES AT BIRTH. HIS FATHER'S NAME WAS MARTINO VESCO, BORN AT ANGERA (VARESE) ITALY ON NOVEMBER 2, 1881.

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3. IN ORDER TO SUPPORT HIS CLAIM TO ITALIAN NATIONALITY, ROBERT

VESCO HAD TO SUBMIT EVIDENCE OF COMMUNE OF ROME TO EFFECT THAT HIS PATERNAL GRANDFATHER WAS AN ITALIAN CITIZEN AND THAT HIS (ROBERT'S) FATHER NEVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN NATIONALITY AND WAS THEREFORE ABLE TO TRANSMIT IT TO HIS SON. ROBERT VESCO SUBMITTED FOLLOWING DOCUMENTS TO COMMUNE OF ROME:

A. CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY ITALIAN CONSULATE GENERAL, NEW ORLEANS, LA. ON APRIL 12, 1973 STATING THAT MARTINO VESCO (ROBERT'S GRANDFATHER) WAS AN ITALIAN CITIZEN AND THAT THE CONSULATE'S RECORDS FAIL TO SHOW THAT HE EVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN NATIONALITY;

B. ITALIAN BIRTH CERTIFICATE OF MARTINO VESCO;

C. CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY ITALIAN CONSULATE GENERAL IN NEW ORLEANS ON APRIL 12, 1973 STATING THAT CONSULATE'S RECORDS FAIL TO SHOW THAT GERDANO (DONALD) VESCO EVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN NATIONALITY BEFORE ITALIAN CONSULAR OFFICIALS;

D. CERTIFICATE ISSUED BY ITALIAN CONSULATE GENERAL, NEW ORLEANS ON APRIL 12, 1973 STATING THAT CONSULATE'S RECORDS FAIL TO SHOW THAT ROBERT VESCO EVER RENOUNCED ITALIAN NATIONALITY BEFORE ITALIAN CONSULAR OFFICIALS. VOLPE

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